Stunned Lions Are Prayerful, Tearful



COLLAPSES ON FIELD: Detroit Lions end Chuck Hughes collapses on field after running pass pattern in Lions Chicago Bears game in Detroit Sunday. He died later in a Detroit hospital from an apparent heart attack. Bears players are: Garry Lyle, (44), Jimmy Gunn (30), Willie Holman (85) Charlie Ford (32) and Dick Butkas (51). Official

Clutter, Confusion To Greet Lawmakers

Michigan lawmakers swarm back to the Capitol Tuesday to confusion of workmen deep in the scaffolding, sawdust and plastering buckets of legislative

Finger

ficers reported the left little finger of a Stevensville man was blown off Sunday in the accidental discharge of a gun, Injured was William Ray Linn, 19, of 5080 St. Joseph

drive, Stevensville. Police said Linn was hunting with James Mathieu of 367 Maplewood, Bridgman, shortly

before the incident occurred. The pair was in Lake township near Jericho and Livingston Mathieu told police he was unloading his rifle when Linn

grabbed the gun case, The gun, a .22 cal. rifle, was dropped and went off, striking Linn's little finger.

Linn was taken to St. Joseph Memorial hospital, where he-was treated and released,

protracted summerlong session that ended Sept. 10, the legislature now faces some five to six weeks more of debate this year. With time out for the usual deer season vacation, the fall session could wind up sometime between Dec. 10 and Dec. 17.
Principal chores include final

action on the \$500-million-plus welfare bill to fill the last hole in

Other issues include mass transportation, involving an effort to hike the gasoline tax by 1.3 cents a gallon; billboard controls; new construction codes and whether to support construction of a stadium in Detroit with state funds.

Senate GOP Leader Robert. VanderLaan of Kentwood said congressional redistricting would well be the "most timeconsuming" bill of the late ses-

'There is a lot of infighting among Democrats, Poles, blacks and some suburbanites" area, he said, predicting out-state legislators "will be sitting on the sidelines" while most of the wrangling goes on.

Other issues in the Senate to

LANSING, Mich. (AP) — remodeling. see floor action, VanderLaan Reconvening after a bitterly said, could include Housepassed drug and snowmobile control

> Marijuana possession, under the drug measure, would be reduced from a felony to a misdemeanor. The present mandatory 20-year sentence for use and sale of the substance would

Blown Off the year's total budget of more than \$2.05 billion, plus redrawing of Congressional discrete for next year's election. Doing Well

This year's local campaign to sell State of Israel bonds

gives promise of being the most successful in history. As of today, said Co-Chair-men Sol Goldin and Jack

a total of \$56,250 worth of bonds have been sold. The campaign, covering the Twin Cities and South Haven areas, will run through November. It has been dedicated to former State Senator Harry Litowich of Benton Harbor who will be honored at a

banquet later this month Other events also are slated, including a production of the famed musical "Fiddler on

be eliminated and, under a House version, the first-time offehse would be 90 days in fail

and possible \$500 fine.
.Under the snowmobile bill, ersons under age 14 would be barred from riding alone, with-out adult companions. The bill also would set performance standards, including noise

> Apparently out of the running gambling bills that include offtrack betting, dog racing, and constitutional amendment.

The prospect of further action on a Senate-passed abortion reform bill remains uncertain. House Speaker William A. Ryan, an opponent, said he would not plan action on the bill, leaving primarily Republican backers to muster support for the bill themselves.

The bill would allow any woman, pregnant no more than three months, to have an abortion in Michigan if she were a resident of the state at least that

WILL TRY AGAIN
ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP) —
Former Sen. Eugene McCarthy will announce Tuesday his intention to set up a national campaign organization to coordinate a presidential bid.

Teammate Dies In Last Minute

a football player say after a mates collapsed and died?

Words were replaced by tears and bowed heads as the Detroit Lions filed solemnly from their dressing room Sunday after a 28-23 upset National Football League loss to the Chicago

Churck Hughes was dead. The likable, 28-year-old Lion wide receiver collapsed on the field with a minute left in the

game and at 4:41 p.m., about an hour after the game, was pronounced dead at a nearby Dr. Richard A. Thompson, one of two team physicians, said an autopsy would be performed today but added that cause of death was likely a ruptured vessel of the aorta, heart, or

possibly the brain.
"He's dead, he's dead," muttered one the Lions as he walked sadly from the dressing room after hearing the news.

"I'm horrified and shocked. He was a great player and a great person," said Lions owner William Clay Ford, his voice quivering with grief, in a filmed interview shortly after the

"Everyone was praying a miracle would happen and that he would pull through," he

Newsmen were barred from the dressing room, where the Lions said a team prayer for Hughes and waited—hopefully, but pessimistically—for news from Henry Ford Hospital of his condition.

When the bad news came the

few players who had already showered and dressed walked quietly out past the clustered reporters and then through the crowd of players similar-silent friends and relatives gathered in the Tiger Stadium corridor.

The game that so many men have chosen to make their prime occupation had claimed a victim. It was a stunning development. It was hard for everyone to believe, including those in the crowd of 54,419 who witnessed Hughes collapse but probably didn't learn of his death until listening to radio reports in their cars enroute

Hughes had replaced injured Larry Walton in the fourth for the time being are a pack of quarter and caught a 32-yard pass from Greg Landry with offtrack betting, dog racing and 1:38 remaining. He was immean proposal to allow a lottery by diately sandwiched by Bob Jeconstitutional ter and Garry Lyle of the Bears. The next three plays of the desperation drives were incomplete Landry passes, and it

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heading for the huddle, clutched 15-yard line.

"He came back to the huddle and seemed okay," a spokes-man quoted Landry as saying. "Nobody thought anything ot

A few crucial seconds passed before anyone realized the gravity of the injury, and Detroit officials rushed to his aid. He had been lying on his stom-

over, with Dr. Thompson pounding his chest in external massage while another team physician, Dr. Edwin Guise, gave mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Also helping was Dr. Eugene Boyle, an anesthesiologist, who came out of the

Hughes was put on a stretcher and taken to the hospital.

A team spokesman said his



CHUCK HUGHES Detroit Lions receiver

and the state of t

TAKEN OFF FIELD: Detroit Lions wide receiver Chuck Hughes lies on his back with his right arm hanging off the stretcher. A doctor from the stands, wearing checkered pants, helps carry Hughes off field. Hughes collapsed with 72 seconds left in the game between Detroit and Chicago. He was pronounced dead about an hour later, (AP Wirephoto)



GETS MEDICAL HELP: Chuck Hughes, receives oxygen after collapsing on playing field during the Lions-Chicago Bears game (AP Wirephoto)

Teen Daughter Shocked Into Solitary Vigil

Royalton Mother's Body Found 5 Days After Death

A Royalton township mother, Mrs. Janet Beyer, 43, was found dead Saturday afternoon in her home at 4828 Niles

road.

Berrien sheriff's officers said a medical examiner's report indicated death occurred Monday, Oct. 18. Lt. Ronald Schalon said the death was not reported because the victim's 13-year-old daughter who found the body went into a state of shock,

Schalon said Dr. Charles Boonstra of Benton Harbor, a medical examiner, ruled that death was self inflicted and caused by asphyxiation by carbon monoxide poisoning. Schalon gave this account:

Mrs. Beyer, alone in the house with the daughter, was found about 2 p.m. Saturday, by her husband, Kenneth Beyer, 44, of 109 Wayne street, St. Joseph. The couple had separated last month, but Beyer went to the home

The girl, Sandra, found her mother in the family auto in the garage upon returning from classes at Upton junior high Monday afternoon. The girl pulled her mother from the auto into a breezeway area, but then apparently entered a state of shock. Apparently, the girl did not eat during the week, but was not reported in impaired health because of this. She stayed home, did not return to school

and apparently was unable to call for help.

Schalon said Mrs. Beyer was in the enclosed breezeway,

covered by a blanket.

Schalon reported that the junior high principal, Willis Koontz, confirmed that Sandra attended classes Monday, but had not been in school the remainder of the week.

Private funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the McLauchlin funeral home, Berrien Springs.

THE HERALD-PRESS **Editorial Page**

W. J. Banyon, Editor and Publisher

'One Man-One Vote' Rule Becomes Political Reality

This is the year when "one man -one vote" becomes a political reality and a legislative headache.

At's been seven years since the United States Supreme Court ruled that every congressional district within each state had to have almost exactly the same number of people. Ever since, states have been redrawing district lines to conform with the best available population figures.

But until this year, the lines had to be redrawn on the basis of the 1960 census figures, and those were already obsolete. Now the 1970 census has provided nearly up-to-date population break-downs, and state legislatures have to create new districts to conform with them in time for the 1972

Forty-one states are going through the redistricting process this year, or will do so by early 1972. Six small states are exempt because they elect one-at-large representative and have no districts, while three states found that their existing districts already

met standards of population equality.
Michigan is one of the states going through the redistricting process. A special committee of eight state senators, four Republicans and four Democrats, has been named to work on new boundary lines for the state's 19 U.S. House seats. Senator Charles O. Zollar, Benton Harbor Republican, is one of the eight. The committee has already been warned that a federal court suit can result if the legislature does not

move rapidly on a redistricting plan. It's up to the special committee to present a plan for adoption by the entire Legislature.

As of mid-October, eighteen states had already drawn their new lines, leaving 23 to go. But those still unsettled included eight of the 10 largest states, New York, California and Michigan among them.

It is in the most populous states that redistricting often turns into a bitter partisan battle, as each party tries to draw the lines to maximize its own

political strength.

In New York, where population losses will reduce the House delegation from 41 to 39, Republicans control the legislature and the governorship and are expected to use their influence to make sure that two seats that go are Democratic seats.

In California, where population growth has brought a harvest of five new House seats, Democrats run the Republican. So legislators are likely to compromise on a map that protects most of the current incumbents and gives both parties a shot at the five new districts.

Elsewhere, the partisan cartographers are bound to create maps so artful in preserving or creating political advantage that the American public can be assured the word "gerrymander" will continue to deserve a prominent place in American

No Wonder The Nation's Paranoid Over Crime

On Friday afternoon, Oct. 1, 1971, the body of Ritchie H. Reed, a 30-year-old federal economist, was found in a fifth-floor men's room in the New Executive Office Building, about two blocks from the White House. Reed, a staff member of the Commission on Population Growth and the American Future, had been stabbed 33 times. His wallet was missing.

This death brought home to the nation's capital the escalating problem of crime in the office building. In the first seven months of this year alone, nearly 400 office burglaries and larcenies were reported in a single police district in Washington, D.C. In New

, Long Range Forecast

Since World War I, the U.S. Weather Bureau, now the United States Weather Service, has grown from a minor subdivision of the Agriculture Department to a major agency of the Commerce Department with 7,500 employes and a major slice of the department's billion-dollar budget.

That could have been predicted without meteorological instruments as far back as 1870 when the bureau was established with a \$20,000 appropriation from Congress. Government agencies have a history of starting small and getting big.

The service today serves as an early warning post against forest fires, hurricanes, frost in the South and blizzards in the North, in addition to providing life saving information for aircraft and ships at sea. With the era of weather satellites in its infancy, better forecasting and new services are

Many now living may see the day when man will be able to control the weather as well as predict it.

Even the millennium will have its flaw. What will people do when they cannot blame their troubles on the weatherman?

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES

York City the statistics are even more. startling: there were 2,454 daytime and 16,401 nighttime burglaries of commercial premises during the first

In a country where the reality of urban crime has become a cliche, this trend may produce no more than another round of bad jokes. But the increase adds yet another dimension to the national paranoia over crime. Citydwellers know they are not completely safe in the streets, the parks or their homes. With the invasion of the office they must face the possibility that they are not safe anywhere during their daily lives.

The skyscrapers of Manhattan have been the scene of some especially frightening incidents. In August, two armed men burst into a ninth-floor office on West 42nd Street and stole \$1,000 in cash and several wrist watches from five astonished lawyers, two clients and a secretary. Thieves somehow got past a lobby guard at 666 Fifth Avenue one night to dynamite open a 500-pound safe on the 23rd floor. On Wall Street, many stock analysts now use the "buddy system" for trips to the lavatory because of a notorious thief who holds up executives in toilet stalls.

The most common type of office erime is petty thievery — stealing purses from secretaries' desks, wallets from coat pockets (if not the coat itself), typewriters or adding machines from unattended areas. Criminals may case the office on the pretense of jobseeking, masquerade as repairmen or simply sneak up back stairways. Some office crime, inevitably, is committed by employees themselves.

New security measures to stop crime in the suites are being instituted in many offices, but they are often expensive, inconvenient or not fully effective. Costly electronic alarms and closed-circuit television cameras are popular among affluent firms, but smaller companies usually can't afford them. Most lobby guards are retired or

inexperienced men.

After Reed's murder, the General Services Administration began installing combination locks on bathroom doors in federal office buildings. Soon after the locks were in at the Small Business Administration, the security director declared: "The only real problem we had was yesterday when a man was dancing in the hallway because he'd forgotten the combination

... But this is the type of combination you only forget once."

Stringent security measures may be having the desired effect in New York, where the cost of building insurance will hold steady in 1971 for the first time in several years. But the economic benefits must be weighed against the psychological impact. No one knows how people will react to the prospect of living and working — in guarded fortresses.

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IT'S THE WAITING

GLANCING BACKWARDS

KING FEATURES STHORGAT

see what the Lakers could have next year at Dickinson Stadium Friday night as his team zeroed in on the second straight Red Arrow champion-ship with a 56-12 romp over

The win gave the state's 10th ranked Class C Team a 5-0 conference mark and a full head of steam for its last two league games. It also pre-

viewed what the Lakers may have next year as Rose played with a team made up predominately of juniors nearly all of the second half.

> SHOCKED BY HUGE BLAST ~10 Years Ago~

Protests and demonstrations spread throughout the nonmmunist world today against Soviet detonation of a giant hydrogen bomb

Government leaders, scientists and newspapers ex-

BUSINESS MIRROR

Bank Credit Card Bonanza Missing

By JACK LEFLER AP Business Writer

NEW YORK (AP) - Sixty million Americans are using bank credit cards to charge purchases at a rate of about \$8 billion a year. But the profit bonanza envisioned by banks is yet to materialize, and many merchants have become disenchanted.

Some financial sources estimate that banks lost an aggregate \$115 million on their credit card operations in 1970 and that they are likely to go even deeperinto the red this year.

EDITOR'S MAILBAG

Editor The Herald-Press:

MAKE-UP FOR HAPPINESS

OPEN YOUR HEART A man is never fully dressed, Until in his face he has a

smile. Powder your face with sunshine, that lasts.

Be friendly to people and linger a while.

Have a big smile right from your heart, And make up your eyes with

laughter. A smiling face with new friendship will start, With a smiling face, you look

much better. Hearts are like a door, will open with case. To very, very little keys.

And don't forget that two of Are "Thank you", and "if you,

please."

ULRICH ROSENHAGEN

601 Port street St. Joseph

WILLIAM RITT You're Telling Me!

RECENTLY a Texan stowed a \$100 bill in the barrel of his shotgun for safekeeping until Christmas. Came the hunting season and forgetting about the C-note, he blasted away. That's one way of shooting

Lucky guy — he was de-pending on that hundred bucks for Yule spending — lock, stock and barrel.

Difficulty in generating a profit from the proliferating card business is attributed to customer fraud, theft, default on account payments, mismanagement, collusion by mer-

cessing records of transactions. The American Bankers Association reports that 9,111 banks are involved in card operations, some on their own and many in association with others.

chants and the high cost of pro-

The number of merchants accepting bank cards is estimated by industry sources at 800,000.

Banks stepped into the credit card arena in 1951 on a local basis. In 1966 the operation be-came national when Bank of America of San Francisco be-gan frachising its Bank-Americard to other banks throughout the country.

Bank cards are used mainly for retail purchases while cards issued by American Express, are used primarily for travel and entertainment.

Master Charge, issued by an

association of banks called In-terbank, is the biggest bank card operation, with sales vol-ume of \$3.4 billion in 1970. BankAmericard was second

with \$2.7 billion.
Another big one is Unicard, issued by Chase Manhattan Bank of New York. Chase says it has two million card holders and 30,000 merchants in its system in nine states. Chase declined to disclose Unicard's dollar volume.

Associated Credit Bureaus, Inc., with headquarters in Houston, Tex., says in a report on bank credit cards that they on bank credit cards that they should be "a made-to-order, punched-plastic key to the heavenly gates of financial growth and well-being."
"But," it adds, "there are rumblings of discontent in paradise."

paradise.

The association says many banks are re-evaluating their position in the credit card business; some are dropping their programs and some are transferring them to other banks.

"On the merchant side of it, similar discontent has set in," the association says. "Many smaller retailers in particular are questioning the worth of bank card programs, feeling that the benefits to them are few, if any. During the recent period of

inflation, increasing costs and smaller profit margins convinced many that the bank card-generated business did not justify the discount rates charged by the bank or the delayed retailer income inherent in the program.

pressed shock and horror today at the enormity of the

> START DEBATE ON NEUTRALITY

The senate convened today to start debate on history-making legislation which would restore complete free-dom of the seas to American merchantmen, and White House lieutenants called for final action within two weeks.

The bill, broadening the home-approved ship arming measure, would permit American vessels to sail into nowforbidden belligerent ports and combat zones. Sponsored by Democratic leader Barkley, it was approved 13 to 10 by the foreign relations committee Saturday.

NEW OFFICERS

—40 Years Ago— The newly elected officers of the Willing Helper class of New Buffalo Methodist Sunday school are Marjorie Warren, president; Jane Hibbs, vice president; June

Van de Walker, secretary; Betty Deaner, treasurer and Virginia Peck and Louise Curtis, social committee.

> GOOD NEWS ---50 Years Ago--

Only two new cases of scarlet fever have been reported to the city health officers within the past few days. It is hoped that the epidemic which has been sweeping the city has been checked. All school chil-

TO VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Briggs and son, Gerald, have gone to Lowell for two weeks to visit relatives.

TO PURCHASE PLANT -80 Years Ago-

A gentleman was in town trying to purchase the plant of the now defunct Daily Post with the intention of moving it

BERRY'S WORLD



"Oh, Goody! We've been invited to our first 'postfreeze' party."

Ray Cromley

Soviets Choked By Pollution



WASHINGYON (NEA) — Those who blame free enter-prise for pollution haven't looked at Russia.

According to a little-noticed paper read by Professor Marshall I. Goldman of Wellesley College at an ecology conference in Tokyo, reports from the U.S.S.R. match every pollution story told from New York to Los Angeles York to Los Angeles.

And Soviet moves to reverse the flow of major rivers, in fact, could effect the earth's rotation, change ecology worldwide.

But back to the more usual

forms of pollution:
In 1965, a cigarette thrown
in the Iset set that river afire.
The Ukraine's Molognaia River is reported dead. And a number of other rivers as

Two thirds of Russian fac-tories discharge their waste without cleanup.
Affluent from the Chernore-

chensk chemical plant near Dzerzhinsk killed almost all fish life in the Oka River in 1965. Factories along the Volga, Ob, Yenessei, Ural and northern Dyina have been

equally guilty.

Mines, oil wells and ships
freely dump waste into the
nearest body of water. Oil
from slicks has coated the shores of the Baltic, Black and Caspian seas. Partly be-cause of the oil — and the lowering of water levels — the production of caviar has been so threatened the Russians are experimenting with articial substitutes.

Six of Moldavia's 20 main cities have sewer systems.

Two of these six treat sewage. Forty per cent of Soviet cities and suburbs have sewage treating equipment.

Most Soviet cities have air pollution. The metallurgical towns of Alma-Ata, Chelya-binsk and Magnitogorsk frequently wear a dark blue cap. Tibilisi suffers from smog almost half the hear. Leningrad has 40 per cent fewer clear daylight hours than nearby Pavlovsk.

The ecology of the Lake Baikal area has been so disrupted by tree-cutting and other disturbances, dunes from the Gobi have already started to move in, raising fears that desert will sweep into Siberia.

Water is being pumped out of Russia's lakes and seas so rapidly some authorities fear (at the current rate of shrink age) that in 29 years the Aral Sea will be a salt marsh. The Caspian has fallen eight (eet

in two decades. Near the resort area of Adler, hospitals, hotels and a Ministry of Defense sanitarium collapsed as the shoreline gave way. Huge quantities of pebbles and sand along the beach have been hauled away by contractors as a cheap source of gravel. A state-built network of dams and reservoirs prevents the natural replacement of peobles. But without the pebbles, there is little to cushion the enormous power of the waves eroding the shoreline.

There is concern that age-old sources of drinking water may gradually disappear.

Marianne Means

Blount Adopts The Drug Issue



WASHINGTON - When (especially when a lot of people think the mail is too Winton Blount leaves the U.S. slow and too expensive these days).

the White House. But he very nearly didn't

Independence, particularly as manifested in an active tongue, is not one of the President's preferred characteristics for Cabinet members. And the Postmaster General is no exception, even though technically he has not been a Cabinet officer since the reorganization of his department

White House began when he started talking like a future candidate for public office instead of a dutiful manager of the mails. At one point, his situation bore a certain resemblance to that in which Secretary of the Interior Walter Hickel found himself shortbefore he was fired by the President.

Blount recognized he couldn't get elected to the Senate simply on a claim of having delivered the mail

Postal Service to seek a Senate seat from Alabama next month, he will go with the blessings of his chief in

Blount's difficulties with the

Nearly every poll indicates that drug abuse is a major n ational domestic concern, second only to the economy. Consequently, Blount celebrated the issuance of a commemorative stamp on drug control with a vigorous blast at the problem and suggested a unique solution. He called for a boycott of France, where 80 per cent of the refined heroin that reaches this country is processed. Only such bold U.S. pressure, Blount argued, would force France to

stop the refining of heroin.
The White House press office issued a hasty statement disavowing Blount and insisting he did not speak for the President A White House aide hinted broadly that Blount ought to stay out of diplo-macy. And Undersecretary of State William Macomber personally telephoned Blount to inquire politely but pointedly whether Blount wouldn't please lay off. The message: the U.S. just doesn't go around

boycotting good allies.

Blount finally agreed to drop
the subject — but only if the President himself told him to. Nixon never called, and so last week Blount repeated his plea for a boycott of France before a postmasters' convention in Los Angeles. And then he hastily submitted his resigna-

tion.
The President, recognizing the potential value of having a friend carrying the party ban-ner on George Wallace's home turf, is giving Blount a proper sendoff.

More Americans Leave Vietnam

SAIGON (AP) - The U.S. command announced today that American troop strength in Vielnam dropped by 4,000 men last week, bringing the force still remaining to 202,-000. It was the smallest force since January 1966 when U.S. troop strength in Vietnam was 196,400 and still building up.

PRICES ROLLED BACK WASHINGTON (AP) — Ma-jor oil companies in the Southwest have rolled back all increases in propane gas prices under the scrutiny of the government, it has been

Nixon's High Court Nominees Please Hart

But Senator Urges Probe Of Their Qualifications

balanced optimism with caution in Benton Harbor

Sunday, when asked for his was delight." He then emviews of President Nixon's two phasized that complete in-U.S. Sen. Philip A. Hart nominees to the Supreme

He said, "My first reaction



LAKESHORE QUEEN: Janet Horton, 17, a senior, was crowned Lakeshore high school homecoming queen by Ross Mielke, drum major, at the halftime of the Lancers football game with Edwardsburg Friday night. Miss Horton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert I. Horton, Sr., 1509 West John Beers road, Stevensville. She was presented roses by last year's queen, Debbie Nitz. The Lancers were defeated, 8-0, for a 4-2 record for the season.

Storm Sewer Completed

Completion of a \$72,000 holding ponds where waste storm sewer system that will water is held. Currently, prevent flooding and eliminate waste water is held in special possible polluted water from discharging into public waters was announced by Charles W. Baker, plant engineer for the Bendix Corporation's Hydrau-lies division, south of St.

The system is the second Sphase of anti-pollution measures instituted by the division which has invested more than stimillion in air and water a liquid waste treatment system which will enable treatment. Last May the division installed air pollution eliminate the need for holding control systems in the two ponds.
foundries at a total cost of Solli

Baker said the newly-completed drainage network encircles the installation and prevents storm water run-off motive, aerospace, industrial

ponds where evaporation separates affluents.

Baker said the new sturm sewer, which consists of a 30-inch pipe and drains directly into Hickory creek, will also. eliminate possible water backup into the foundry area.

Baker said future plans include possible installation of

Sollitt Construction Company, Inc., South Bend, was the contractor for the system. Bendix is a worldwide man-

A real estate firm purchsed

40 brooms. One housewife gave a bandsmen \$25 for a

broom and another resident paid \$20 for the broom which

There is approximately \$9,000 in the Vienna fund which has a goal of \$70,000. The drive to raise funds is to

permit the St. Joseph band to

compete in an international

music festival at Vienna, Aus-

normally sell for \$2.50.

tria, next July.

can Bar association.
Optimism Sunday was the

for the occasion.

During a press conference,
Hart sat at the table with

Joseph, political novice, placed first in the city's threeman primary race in August, and will oppose the number two primary vote-getter, Mayor Wilbert Smith, in the general election Tuesday, Nov. 2. The election is on a non-

Keller said Hart's appearance here is part of a statewide Democratic effort to enforce party spirit and activities by meeting with key office

Hart quipped with newsmen, aying, "If you think I have

new, but he responded to questions on the supreme court, fluctuating gasoline prices, legislation to outlaw handguns for private citizens; legislation for guaranteed annual income as a step toward

tions of the nominees is essential, because of un-

answered questions. The court nominees are William H. Rehnquist, assist-ant U.S. attorney general for the office of legal counsel; and Lewis F. Powell of Richmond, Va., a successful attorney and past president of the Ameri-

only feeling evidenced by nearly 200 Democrats from Berrien county. They brunched at the Downtowner restau-They flanked Hart to shake hands with their party's top office holder in Michigan. Hart was the honored guest

Charles F. Joseph, Benton Harbor mayoral candidate, to his right; and James Keller of New Buffalo, Berrien county Democratic chairman, to his

partisan ballot.

saying, "If you think I have anything important to say here today, I'll tell you I haven't got a damn thing to say."
Hart didn't say anything

welfare reform; legislation for no fault auto insurance; and



HAPPY DAYS: Nearly 200 Berrien county Democrats were united in Benton Harbor Sunday, as Michigan's top Democratic office-holder, U. S. Sen. Philip A. Hart (fourth from left and now sporting full beard) is honored guest at brunch. From left: Al Brookins, Eau Claire, Twin Cities Democratic Chairman; the Rev. Nathaniel Wells; Benton Harbor; James Keller, New Buffalo, Berrien county

Democratic chairman; Hart; Vernon Anthony of Decatur, Buren Democratic ticket chairman; Mrs. Anthony; and Mrs. Maureen Kilgore, Berrien Springs, Berrien county Democratic secretary. Event was one of several state-wide as Democrats prime for next year's elections by holding meetings with key office holders. (Staff photo)



ENCOURAGING WORD: Although Benton Harbor office candidates run on nonpartisan ballot. mayoral candidate Charles F. Joseph receives hardy handshake and words of encouragement Sunday from Michigan Democrat U.S. Sen. Philip A. Hart. (Staff photo)

prayer in schools.

A liberal and sporting a full had it crack before. I'm beard, Hart spoke like this Sunday on the Supreme court

"I've gone on a limb and

(See back page, sec. 1, col. 7)

Victim Hospitalized

Five Citizens Chase Fleeing Purse Thief

Five citizens gave chase Saturday night in downtown Benton Harbor after a woman was knocked down and her purse stolen by a man who fled on foot, according to city police.

The purse was recovered in

the pursuit by the citizens but the purse snatcher eluded

The victim was identified as Mrs. Vivian Abt, of the Milner hotel. Police said she sustained an injury to her right knee and was admitted to Mercy hospital. Mrs. Abt told police here knee was hurt when she fell to the pavement on Main street at Fifth street, near the hotel. Mrs. Abt said a man grabbed her purse and pushed

the purse, but reported that whoever grabbed the purse dropped it while being chased toward Highland avenue.

Involved in the citizen the paction, police stated, were said.

Dotty Schmidt, 22, Coloma; A and Richard Pocevick, 31, result South Haven, who followed a man in their auto; John Locker, 30, Millburg, who said he saw the incident from the hotel bar and ran after a man; Dulles Galanda, 25, Baroda, and Scott Hauch, 20,

Stevensville.
In Mercy hospital today, Mrs. Abt commented on the assistance. "They were wonderful. We've got more good people than we have no good

tramps."

The incident was reported at

to Highland and Fourth street. where the man sought disappeared. Accounts told of two men present, but one grabbed; the purse and both fled, police:

A police search of the area resulted in the arrest of a 16year-old boy and a young man. Neither was charged in the purse-snatching because witnesses were unable to provide positive identification, police

Patrolman Ronald Robaska said he made the arrests while patroling along East Main street near Fourth street. Arrested after questioning were Esker Lee Bowens, 23, of 912 Waukonda avenue, who was charged with drunk and disorderly; and a 16-year-old Benton Harbor boy who was cealed weapon after a straight edge razor was found on this person, police said. The boye was petitioned to juvenile court and remanded to his

parents, Police said the arrest of Bowens preceded by about a identified as Jackie Robinson Mo., but residing currently also at 912 Waukonda. Jackie Bowens was identified as a brother of Esker Bowens, and was arrested at 10:17 p.m. on a charge of breaking and en-

Patrolman James Little said he found Jackie Bowens on the floor near an office portion of Doubleday Brothers & Co., 215 Colfax, after a burglar alarm there sounded at police head-

Little said entry to the closed building appeared gained by breaking glass of the front door. Found on the floor by the suspect were a calculator and radio, valued at \$600. Little said.

The officer said he was joned in the investigation by Dets. Sam Watson and Dwight Claustre and Patrolmen Eli Rolland, Tom Schadler, John Clark and Mike Maruszczak.

Meetings Scheduled

Citizen participation t a s k force meetings for Benton Harbor-Benton township Model Cities residents will be held; Oct. 26, Nov. 2 and Nov. 9 at the Blossom Acres community center in Benton township. The starting time for each meeting is 7:30 p.m. A health task force meeting is scheduled for Oct. 26; an

education task force meeting for Nov. 2: and a social task force meeting for Nov. 9.

Residents needing transportation can call 925-7042.

Sunday From 1 To 5 P.M.

Youths Seek UNICEF Donations

Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF) on Sunday, Oct. 31, the 25th anniversary of the founding of UNICEF.

Some 150 youths from 13 to

\$1,400 was collected. The St. Joseph

Catholic church and the First Congregational church of Benton gational church of Benton Harbor will also provide collection centers for various

tributions in return for labels

from their products.

Labels may be collected at area churches and then

Youth groups from Twin
City churches and synagogues ing for donations from 1 p.m. an other UNICEF program and Boy Scouls and Girl Scouts will be seeking donations in the annual Trick or Treat campaign for the United

Youth groups from Twin
17 years-old will be canvassing for donations from 1 p.m. an other UNICEF program called Treat of Life. Several tonal church of Benton, Harbon bor at 292 Bellview street on Sunday. The two churches will then forward the labels to the UNICEF also provides

Treat campaign for the United

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\$1,400 was collected. various business firms.

> UNICEF is supported solely through contributions which brought to the St. Joseph are used to provide emergency

children in underdeveloped countries with innoculations against malaria, tests for Tuberculosis, and treatment for severe cases of Trachoma (virus affecting the eyes).

from gathering in special and forest products. Bandsmen Sweep On Tuesday Night The busy St. Joseph High school band will sweep into south St. Joseph Tuesday on a ticing an "on to Vienna" show that will be presented during the hlaf-time of the Portage broom selling excursion they hope will fly them to band festival in Vienna next sum-Central-St. Joseph Bear foot-ball game. The football team is undefeated so far this year. The band opened a broom The initial response to the sale last week but this week broom selling campaign has been heartwarming, Howard they face a rigorous practice schedule for the half-time show Friday night and Tues-Brink chairman said. Sales the first few days hit \$3,145.

> CLERGYMEN FOR UNICEF: Six area clergymen hold posters and collection boxes that youth groups from churches and synagogues will use Sunday in seeking donations in the annual Trick or Treat for UNICEF (United Nations Children's Fund) campaign. The contributions are used to aid children in underdeveloped countries. The clergymen involved in the planning and coordination of the campaign are from left: Rev. Larry Stanton assistant pastor of the

First Congregational church of St. Joseph; Rev. John Watson. Mt. Zion Baptist church in Benton Harbor; Tom Cozzens, director of Tri-Parish Catholic religious education; Rev. Dick Williams, associate pastor of the Methodist Peace Temple in Benton Harbor; Rev. Paul Kuntzman, associate pastor of the First Congregational church of Benton Harbor; and Rabbi Wayne M. Franklin, Temple B-Nai Shalom in Benton township.

screnade residents in the sell-ing area. The group will start out at 5:30 p.m. and continue emtil around 8 p.m.

day evening is the only night they can take off for the

Six teams of 10 bandsmen in

each team will fan out in an area south of Hilltop and north

of Glenlord but reaching into

Scottdale and other surburban

areas to sell brooms.

A pep band will be mounted on a stake truck and will

broom sale.



TOP BERRIEN 4-H'ERS: Marvin Randell of the Benton Harbor Exchange club presents Leo Stanley Memorial awards to Berrien county's outstanding 4-H girl and boy of 1971, Connie Norris of Berrien Center and David Rohde of Buchanan. The

late Leo Stanley, who agriculture teacher at Benton Harbor high school for 30 years. Miss Norris is a freshman at Southwestern Michigan college and Rohde is a senior at Buchanan high school. (Staff photos)

Outstanding 4-H Members Named

chanan boy were named Berrien County's Outstanding 4-H members for 1971 Saturday night at the annual 4-H Fall recognition program at the Youth Memorial building on

the fairgrounds here.
Connie Norris, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Norris of
Berrien Center and David Rohde, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rohde of Buchanan, were presented Leo Stanley Memorial awards by Marvin Randell of the Benton Harbor Exchange club, sponsor of the awards which symbolize the outstanding 4-H girl and boy.

The top 4-H'ers were se-

lected by the Berrien county 4-H awards board for their overall achievement, leader-ship and citizenship in their local club, plus county and Miss Norris, a recent graduate of Niles high school is currently attending Southwestern Michigan college. She has been in 4-H for nine years, has been a teen leader and has completed over 70 4-H projects during her career in 4-H.

Rohde, a senior at Buchanan high school is currently completing his ninth year in 4-H. He has also completed over 70 different 4-H projects and has been a teen leader.

Runners-up to the Leo Stanley Memorial award were presented the "I Dare You" award. This year's recipients were Vicki Diehl of New Troy and Bill Marske of St. Joseph. Both members had excellent leadership and citizenship re-cords both in 4-II and school

other older 4-H members recognized for outstanding leadership and citizenship were awarded the Michigan Key Club award, This award program is aponsored by the Cities Service Oil company, Custom Farm Services division. Key club winners were: Bill Damaske, St. Joseph; Cindy Granger, Benton Har-bor; Vicki Diehl, New Troy; Bill Shuler and Duane Dasse, Baroda; Lois Radewald, Diane Radewald, Mark Hipshear and Fred Hipshear, Niles; and David Rohde, Buchanan.

Members receiving Senior plaques for having completed plaques for having completed eight or more years in 4-H and for having graduated from high school this past spring were: Peggy Mitchell and Diane Vollman, Three Oaks; Catherine Rantz and James Morlock, Watervliet; William Marske, William Steinke and William Damaske, St. Joseph; Nick Totzke and Beverly Freehling, Baroda; Connie Norris, Linda Mann and Sharon Sommers, Berrien Center; Sommers, Berrien Center;
Marie Radewald, Brenda
Strefling, Deborah Starke,
James Miller, Charles Durm
and Fred Hipshear, Niles;
Bonnie Versaw and Valerie
Miller, Sodus; Nancy Strong,
Mark Rohde, Michael
Schwartz and Jim Harrington,
Buchanan; Gloria Novak, Berrien Springs; and Cindy
Granger and Doris Bishop,
Benton Harbor.
A total of 55 county 4-H'ers
received county medals for
project work completed during
the year. Those receiving
medals in various divisions
were: Achievement—Bill Mar-

were: Achievement-Bill Marske, Lois Radewald, Connie Norris and Vicki Diehl; Agri-culture—Dean Radewald, Dan Atherton, David Rohde and Bill Marske; Horses—Sandy Martin, Linda Nelson and Lori Kolberg; Poultry—Dan Atherton; Leadership—Connie Both, Roberts Aubsch, Diane Berry and Sandy Martin; Sheep-Dan Atherton; Swine—Gary Layher and Mike Gibson; H orticulture-Kathy Steinke, David Dasse, Connie Both and Jane Rantz; Tractor-Don and Dean Radewald; Bread— Diane Barry and Kris Haase; Dairy Foods—Diane Rade-

wald; Foods Preservation— Nancy Zielke and Roberta Kubsch; Clothing—Vicki Diehl, Diane Barry, Paula Carlanger and Pamela Gib-son; Home Management— Diane Radewald, Lois Radewald, Virginia Imler and Jacqueline Lowe; Handicraft—Don Radewald, Bill Marske, Robert Imler and David Ellis;

city—Jim Flahaven; Cultural Arts—Kaye Fritz, Vickie Diehl and Cindy Granger.

The final Shuler Brothers 4-H Agricultural college scho-larship was awarded to Bob Pagel, a junior in the College of Agriculture at Michigan State university.



NEW QUEEN: Lynn Harris, 15, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Marable, 721 Kalamazoo street, South Haven, was crowned the Van Buren United Civic Organization's queen Sunday during the 10th annual banquet at Fidelman's resort. Miss Harris is a freshman at L. C. Mohr high school in South Haven. Steven Leonard, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Leonard of Covert was selected as king. Mrs. Hetty Roseberry and William Pickett were chairmen of the queen-king contest. (Tom Renner photo)

Hunter Flees **Bullets**

A Dowagiac man told state police from the Benton Harbor post that while hunting Sunday in a Berrien township field, shots were fired at him intentionally. The hunter was not hit, but his dog was reportedly struck by a bullet.

State police said the complaint was filed by Richard Young, 105 Pokagon road, Dowagiac. There was no word on how badly the dog was

Young told officers that he was hunting in a field just off Pucker and Lake roads near Eau Claire when he heard several shots from a rifle go overhead. He yelled at those shooting to be careful.

Shots aimed in the direction of Young continued. The man began running, but the firing reportedly continued. His beagle hunting dog was struck by a bullet as Young fled to clude his assailants.

Young finally was able to gain refuge in the home of Ralph True. Lake road, Ber-

Nets \$150 For UNICEF

COLOMA - Mrs. Nancy Scholl, chairman of the Co-loma area UNICEF drive, re-ported late Sunday that \$150 was collected by 9 adults and 47 children volunteers Sunday

The door-to-door drive covered Coloma city and areas of Coloma township, according The events committee is to Mrs. Scholl Mrs. Scholl inviting suggestions for festithanked all Coloma area residents who donated and the 56 volunteers for their fine

One Recaptured

Two Escape Cass Jail

CASSOPOLIS - Cass County sheriff's deputies continued their search today for one of two men who escaped from the county jail here Sunday.

4-H KEY CLUBBERS: Ten county 4-H members were awarded the

Michigan 4-H Key Club award for outstanding leadership and

citizenship Saturday during 4-H Fall recognition night in Berrlen

Springs. Larry Cushman, Area 4-H Youth Agent, presents Key Club awards to, from left: Lois Radewald, Diane Radewald and

afternoon.
Still at large is Raymond
Conley, 26, of White Pigeon
jailer whom they encountered on the way out.
Deputies said that Wiggins charged with armed robbery. Captured within minutes of the jailer was returning him the jailbreak was Robert Wiggins, 21, rural Dowagiac, who was awaiting trial on a rape

Committee Named

SOUTH HAVEN — Committee members for the 1972 National Blueberry Festival, which will be held next July 13-16, have been announced by

chairman Richard Pisarski. Co-vicechairmen of the festival will be Donna Chap-man and Robert Reeder, Mrs.

rien township. Police were seeking three men in connection with the incident, but no description was furnished.

Coloma Drive

The facilities committee will be Robert Smith, chairman, and Robert Linderman. The events connection was furnished. mittee will include Mrs. Chapman and Reeder as cochairmen, Ronald Dannenberg, Curtis Hood, Linderman, William McKinstry, Phillip Schoenwether, Mrs. Wohlfert, Roger Van Slyke and Smith,

Other committee assing-ments include Rick Trestain and Van Slyke, finance; Hood and Mrs. McAfee, promotion; and Dale Johnansen and Dannenberg, clubs and organiza-

val events. Suggestions may be sent to the National Blueberry Festival, P.O. Box 224, South Haven, Mich. 49090.

Sheriff's deputies said the two took keys from a jailer after they overpowered him and threatened him with a razor. They jumped a second jailer whom they encountered

following a visiting period. Almost simultaneously, Conley, Wiggins' cellmate, kicked open the unlocked door and held a razor blade to the jailer's

The jailer was bound with towels knotted together, depu-

ties said. Also bound with towels was Jim Haggerty, a jailer serving as weekend

Mark Hipshear, all of Niles; David Rohde, Buchanan; Cindy

Granger, Benton Harbor; Bill Shuler, Baroda; and Vicki Diehl, New Troy. Other Key Club recipients not pictured are Fred Hipshear, Niles; Duane Dasse, Baroda; and Bill Damaske, St. Joseph.

Det. Norman Banow about three blocks from the jail, after a foot chase. A roadblock was thown up

Wiggins was captured by

around Cassopolis between 6 and 7 p.m. but Conley remained at large.

He is described by deputies as a 6 feet 3 weighing 190

pounds, with black hair and moustache. He was last seen wearing cowboy boots, white shirt and blue jail denims. from, they said it is the first fullscale break from the jail since it was built about 15

Meet Tuesday

SOUTH HAVEN - The the South Haven housing commission has been postponed until Tuesday because of the Veteran's Day holiday.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the community room of the elderly housing

Train Hits, Kills Woman

DOWAGIAC — A Dowagiac tween Telegraph street, and woman identified as Mrs., Prairie Ronde street, about a Esther Cushway, 47, of 410 block, and a half from her day when she was struck by a The train, traveling at approximately 40 miles an hour. Penn Central passenger train

Dowagiac city police said Mrs. Cushway was struck at about 6:36 p.m. as she crossed in front of the train from a path crossing the tracks be-

proximately 40 miles an hour, stopped before reaching the next crossing, according to John Adanczyk, engineer.

Parts of the body was scattered along the right of way.

The train, with four pas-

senger coaches and a diesel engine, was bound from Chi-cago to Detroit. She was pronounced dead at

the scene by Coroner Dr. Justo DeVarona, Identification was delayed until Sunday night because of the condition of the body, police said.

Mrs. Cushway was born, Nov. 11, 1923, the daughter of Ralph and Bessie Merrill Webster. She married Robert Cushway, July 13, 1946, in Dowagiac.

·Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Mrs. Joann Clark of Dowagiac and Joann Clark of Dowagiac and Dawn, 17, at home; a son, Robert, 18, at home; two grandchildren; two brothers, Fritz and Jim Webster of Dowagiac, and a sister, Mrs. Alice Alexas of Dowagiac.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the Seventh Day Adventist church, 410 Hill street Dayagiac. The

410 Hill street, Dowagiac. The Rev. Robert Villanueva will officiate. Burial will be in Union cemetery, Cass county. Friends may call at the Groner-Lyons funeral home, Dowagiac, after 4 p.m. today The body will be at the churc after noon Tuesday.



MEA OPEN HOUSE: Teachers, their family members and guests, gather Sunday afternoon to inspect now fully-staffed offices of Michigan Education association's Uni-Serv headquarters for Berrien county. Offices are at 100 West Ferry street, Berrien Springs. Standing, from left, are co-executive directors of office; Don A. James and Geoff Masters. Seated, from left, clockwise: Fred McLaren and Mrs. McLaren, Galien; Fred Conelley, Niles; Mrs.

Carol Hackbardt, Syracuse, N. Y.; Mrs. Jean James, Gallen; Mrs. Vera Potter, Gallen; and Richard Potter, Gallen. James said offices have been open several months, but open house was delayed until full staff was hired. Office aids teachers in county in varied matters, ranging from human relations problems to contract negotiations. (Staff photo)